



IFW 1645

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicants: Kusters, J.G. *et al.*
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For: Helicobacter Felis Vaccine
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April 21, 2006

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner of Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir/Madam:

In reply to the Office Action issued November 21, 2005 (herein, "Office Action") Applicants provide the following amendments and remarks. Please enter the amendments that follow:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 4.

Remarks begin on page 9.

Petition for Two Month Extension of Time

Applicants hereby petition for a two month extension of time for replying to the Office Action. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee for this extension (\$450.00) to Deposit Account No. 02-2334.